

Alabama Board of Nursing Botox for Hyperhidrosis Protocol

The Botox for Hyperhidrosis Protocol for Collaborative Practice Nursing lists the skills/procedures below that are approved to apply for through an application process. The application and instructions are available on the ABN website at Hyperhidrosis Application

Initial Requirements

- Collaborating/supervising physician for the CRNP must be a Board-Certified Dermatologist
- CRNP must have two years of experience working in Dermatology with a Board-Certified Dermatologist as a supervising physician
- CRNP must observe ten (10) procedures performed by the collaborating/supervising physician

Approval to train

• Once observation requirement has been met, collaborating/supervising must complete a request to train the CRNP.

Supervised Practice Requirements

- Once approval to train has been granted, CRNP must demonstrate 10 procedures at each approved anatomic location under the direction/observation of the collaborating/supervising physician
- Documentation of training must be submitted to ABN and ALBME for the CRNP for final approval before CRNP may perform the skill
- Approval to train will lapse if documentation of training is not received by the required Board(s) within one (1) year.

Maintenance Requirement

 CRNP will perform and document no less than 10 procedures yearly at each approved anatomic location to maintain certification (keep copies at your facility).

The collaborating/supervising physician must be physically present on site with the CRNP during training on this procedure. After supervised practice has been approved, the supervising physician must be physically present on site when this procedure is performed by the CRNP.

Botulinum toxin injections for hyperhidrosis may only be performed on the palms, the soles of the feet, and the axilla.